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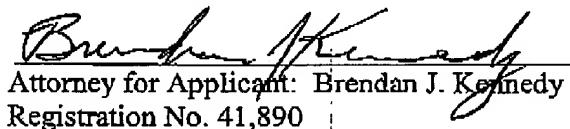
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Docket No.: CRTEX-001XX

Sir:

In re application of: **Francis E. Hayes**

Entitled: **INTERNET INSURANCE CERTIFICATE SYSTEM**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2007,  
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.